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Ratepayers Meet In the U.F.A. Hall Tuesday Afternoon

Discuss Possibilities of Increasing Teaching Staff.

PRINCIPAL SPEAKS

At a meeting of the ratepayers and trustees of the Crossfield School Board, held in the U.F.A. Hall Tuesday afternoon, possibilities of having an assistant high school teacher were discussed.

In his opening remarks, chairman T. Tredaway explained the fact that this meeting was called to get the expressions of the taxpayers in connection with the additional expenses, which would entail, as the School Board has been notified through the principal, by the inspector, who recently visited the local school, that with a one-room high school credits have been cut down to 28. On the other hand, if they had an assistant and rented a room, they would be allowed 30 credits, which would be to the interest of both the parents and children.

The Department of Education had been written to by the trustees regarding this situation, (which letter was read by the chairman) and the chief inspector of school had telephoned Tuesday morning (the day of the meeting) regretting that he had not replied to the letter in time for the meeting, but, as he understood from the letter, he would advise the Board to write the divisional Board regarding the extension of the educational facilities at Crossfield.

As it is, they, by engaging another teacher, would have 30 credits instead of 28.

The chairman then asked the principal, Mr. W. K. Gish, to speak; who said he was well satisfied

Cochrane Constituency Social Credit Ass'n. Annual Convention

The annual convention of the Cochrane Constituency Social Credit Ass'n. will be held in the U.F.A. Hall, Crossfield on Thursday, December 1st, at 3:00 p.m.

A public meeting will be held in the evening, to which you are cordially invited. Prominent speakers will be present.

fied with the pupils. How the courses were far and wide and that it was difficult to know what we are doing. The new subjects are alive and the pupils are all interested in them.

He explained how the new courses took in both Christian and pagan literature.

"But," he said, "although we study these religions, we do not teach them. They are only studied for the spiritual values."

He continued explaining the different courses and how the economic systems were studied, but it was not to teach the boy or girl fascism; and that politics are not taught.

"We look the wide world over for facts and values," the speaker said.

Principals today are making work a professional matter. Education today is so broad that it is really making men and women out of the boys and girls.

The department of education, since last year, has lowered the credits, for a one-room high school to 28 instead of 30. "But with an assistant," Mr. Gish said, "we could teach 30 if the assistant was engaged the beginning of the new year."

Mr. Gish explained the difference between a "unit" and a "credit". A "unit" is a subject, which is divided into credits from five to one. Therefore, if the subjects are passed, the student is allowed so many credits, thus making up the whole number for the year.

"Although hiring an assistant would not give the student a

Crossfield Dramatic Society Assists Anglican Church W.A.

The C.D.S. presents, "When Sally Comes Comes to Town," on Friday evening, December 9th. It's really funny. You saw "Superstitious Susan" and liked it. See this comedy and enjoy a real laugh. It's a good appetizer for Christmas festivities.

The caste is well selected and the members are carrying their parts well.

Support the sponsors, the Junior W.A. of the Anglican Church, and let's have a full house.

Get your tickets early and be assured of a good seat. Reserve seats are on sale at the Bannister Electric.

Good Crowd Attends Calf Club Dance

The annual dance, sponsored by the boys and girls Calf Club, was held in the Madden Hall Friday last. A good crowd turned out and all voted it a very enjoyable evening.

The Gloomchasers were really on their toes and gave the dancers plenty for their money.

The lovely knitted cushion, donated to the club by Mrs. R. Ridwell was raffled and the lucky ticket was held by Ken McRae.

First Fire In Town For Many Months

The first fire witnessed by the Crossfield citizens for some time aroused anxiety Monday afternoon, when the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Patmore caught fire.

Mrs. Patmore said that she was out for a pail of water and when she returned, the wall behind the heater had started ablaze.

She immediately called for help, and after the fire alarm sounded the firemen were about their work. Fire engines were soon rushed to the scene of the fire. As it had not had a very good start, the neighbours were busy with buckets and extinguished the flame before much damage was done to the house.

However, a dresser in the next room, on the other side of the wall which had caught fire, was smoldering and soon taken outside, where it was found that clothing was destroyed.

chance to finish high school in three years," Mr. Gish said, "It would enable me to assist the poorer pupils (if the assistant had charge of the most forward pupils) and give them more personal attention."

Questions were asked, which the speaker answered and explained quite clearly.

After much discussion, it was voted to have an assistant school teacher and further arrangements are in the hands of the trustees.

High School Hockey Team Assists Village Council

The high school hockey team, which was organized last year, through the interest shown in the boys by the School Principal, Mr. W. K. Gish, having good sport during the winter months, has been the means of giving the boys an enthusiastic start this winter, as they are anxious to co-operate with the Village Council in working at the skating rink so as to have it in good condition, not only for those playing on the ice, but they also hope to have the ringside clear of snow for the benefit of the spectators.

With this kind of spirit on the part of our boys, the community should give them all the support possible.

Local Coyote Hunter Brings Home Bacon

E. Bills informs us that he has made a good catch of coyotes this fall. Out of the 38 he has run, 34 have been caught, 32 of which were caught by one dog.

This is a very good catch, and Everett says that they aren't all young ones either. Half of them are old.

Coyotes are cinched with the equipment he has, so he has really only started hunting this season.

U.F.W.A. Continues To Assist Hall

Friday evening last, November 18th, was another night of success for the members of the U.F.W.A., when they staged further entertainment for the benefit of the East Community Hall, which is a great asset to the community and very much used during entertainment time.

13 tables were occupied at Bridge Five Hundred, at which Mrs. C. Wyle won the ladies bridge and A. Montgomery the Gent's.

Mrs. A. Montgomery won the ladies consolation and E. Ferguson the gent's consolation.

In the ladies and gent's Five Hundred games Mrs. J. M. Huston and E. Ruddy were the winners.

In the consolation, Mrs. G. Wickerson won the ladies' and G. Wickerson the gent's.

After cards, dancing was enjoyed for two hours, to the music of the Bannister Electric Microphone Systems, which was reported very good. A fair crowd voted the music satisfactory and a good time was had.

Miscellaneous Shower.

Honouring Miss Margaret Reich- enbecher, a bride-elect of December a miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. J. Willos, Wednesday afternoon, November 16th.

The room was prettily decorated with pink and white streamers. In a gaily decorated basket, gifts were presented. 21 guests being present.

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Supt. and President of Woman's Auxiliary Visit Crossfield

Last Friday Mrs. Cross, President of the Diocesan Woman's Auxiliary and Miss Adams Diocesan Superintendent of the Junior Woman's Auxiliary visited this Mission.

On arrival by the noon bus they were entertained at the Rectory to lunch, spending a pleasant hour with the rector and his family. At 3:00 p.m. they went to the church, where the Local Branch of Junior Woman's Auxiliary, along with their Superintendent, Mrs. A. D. Currie the Juniors parents and members of the Ladies Guild listened to a most interesting talk by Mrs. Cross, on the Missionary work of the church and congratulated the Superintendent and the Juniors for the very excellent work they had done in the past. In the course of her remarks, Mrs. Cross told of the excellent work being done in Honan, China, by the missionaries of the different Christian bodies amongst the wounded in the Sino-Japanese war and advised everybody to read the pamphlet "War in Honan," issued by the M.S.C.C. Miss Adams then added a few remarks and also congratulated the local Juniors for their excellent work and their financial help in the work carried on under her auspices. A collection was taken up and a nice sum went to swell the mission funds of the church.

After the meeting most of these present adjourned to the rectory for tea and a chat with the two visitors. Everybody being the guests of the Rector and his family.

Mrs. Cross and Miss Adams returned to Calgary by the evening train.

Elevator Men's Union Secures More Members

Hopes Eventually To Organize 7,000 Agents in West

OKOTOKS MEET

Sixteen elevator agents from the towns of Didsbury, Carstairs, Cremona, Minaret and Crossfield met in the U.F.A. hall at Crossfield on Wednesday night and voted unanimously to throw in their lot with the Brotherhood of Elevator Co-operators, now in the process of organization. This group takes in agents from Minaret to Calgary on the C. and E. line and all points west in area, to be known as Zone Three.

It was brought to the notice of the meeting that there are 7,000 elevator agents in Western Canada and that if these men can be brought into organization, they will reap benefits to themselves and to the grain trade in general.

It was decided that a delegation from zone 3 would hold a meeting of elevator agents at Okotoks next Wednesday night to organize the agents in the district from Calgary to High River and stations west of those points. S. Foote will be in charge of the organization meeting at Okotoks.

The Crossfield group ratified the appointments of officers made at a meeting at Didsbury the previous week E. Donnelly, Carstairs, is president and N. McLeod secretary—Calgary Herald, Friday, November 18th.

Members Please Note.

The annual meeting of the Floral U. F. W. A. will be held at the home of Mrs. O. E. Jones Friday, December 2nd, at 2:30 p. m. A good turnout is requested.



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Transient Youth Problem Again

In a recent issue of this column attention was drawn to the plight of that sizeable army of young men wandering up and down the country in vain search for work and, perhaps, in a minority of cases, hunting for relief, when the situation was referred to as a national disgrace, coupled with the suggestion that some provision should be made to give them work and wages.

It was pointed out that there is plenty of work that could be done with profit to the nation and the taxpayers and, in effect, that all that was needed was to connect these transient jobless men with this work.

Since that time these suggestions have found confirmation in the November 12 issue of *Toronto Saturday Night* written by A. J. Elliott, who not only points out the necessity of providing work for these wanderers, instead of allowing them to be made a shuttlecock between the municipalities and the senior government, but outlines in some detail the work to which they might well be put and the methods that should be adopted in carrying out the plan.

Since Mr. Elliott is the Superintendent of the Toronto Men's Hostel and has had much experience in social work in the United States and Canada his suggestions are not only interesting but carry with them the weight of experience and authority.

Mr. Elliott adopts the viewpoint that the problem instead of being insoluble has a relatively simple answer but if it is to be successful "our theory must be changed from the opinion that the federal government is attempting to control a national liability to the conviction that we are actively engaged in conserving a national asset."

In making this statement it would appear that Mr. Elliott is reaching down to the roots of the problem, for, if these men were regarded as a national asset to be conserved, as they undoubtedly are, it would not be very long before the demand that something be done to give them their rightful place in the economic life of the country, or at least a chance for it, would be sufficiently vociferous to bring forth fruit.

Unfinished Labor

As was stated before in this column there is plenty of work that can be done with advantage and Mr. Elliott not only confirms this statement in a general way but points out specifically some of the projects that might well be undertaken when he says:

"Grandiose schemes such as the construction of huge public buildings or super-highways demand large numbers of skilled artisans and trained engineers. The country has not a sufficient number of these to fulfil its normal requirements; and the result is merely to put a premium on the services of such workers.

"But the little jobs, such as changing level crossings to grade crossings, providing passable country roads, eliminating the hazards of pedestrians on highways by constructing footpaths; these, as well as such big jobs as reforestation for instance, require a minimum of skilled workmen and a maximum of laborers. From all of them the general public would derive as much benefit in the long run as the unemployed transients who would be directly assisted thereby."

Mr. Elliott suggests that the men be housed in comfortable and attractive camps, avoiding the mistakes of "our last terrible camp experiment" adding the important warning that the men should not be kept in such camps too long but that every effort be made to provide them with a definite program of education and as soon as possible graduate them into permanent work through the employment bureaus scattered across the Dominion. In other words, Mr. Elliott asks for a definitely co-ordinating program of temporary work, education and permanent employment and opportunity for re-establishment as soon as such may be available.

Effect On Morale

While all of this is sane and sound, not the least interesting feature of Mr. Elliott's plan is his recommendation as to remuneration. Pointing out that these men who have lost their municipal rights are offering of families and relatives who cannot afford to keep them, Mr. Elliott urges that they be paid, while engaged in such public projects, a minimum wage of thirty dollars a month and keep, of which five dollars is to be retained by the men and the balance forwarded to the nearest of kin.

Apart altogether from the economic effect of partially or wholly lifting the relief burden from the taxpayers on the family's account such disposition of a substantial percentage of the wages would have a marked effect on the family's morale "If their income was the earned wages of one of their number, instead of relief."

"As well as the chance to conserve his manpower and lighten the burden of relief that now falls so onerously on municipal taxpayers, not to mention the restoration of morale and self-respect to insubstantial borderlines and relief-accepting families the nation has still another opportunity to benefit from the policy of work for wages," says Mr. Elliott, "And that is the opportunity to provide education facilities to a group of its citizens who would benefit from such a program and who would eagerly avail themselves of it."

Such a program as that outlined by Mr. Elliott will strike a responsive chord in a good many breasts and will be approved not only by taxpayers but parents and relatives who have seen their young men fare forth in the vain hope of conquering the unemployment ogre and who are now being battered about from pillar to post, with hope dwindling the longer this problem remains ineffectively tackled.

A Strange Law Suit

Refused in an attempt to check a toothpick in a railway station, a Parisian lawyer sued the French Government in 1907 and won after a 20-year court fight at a cost of 200,000 francs to the Government.

On occasion, rabbits and badgers will share the same burrow, although they use different entrances.

PATENTS

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This Cat Was Wise

Other cats in the neighborhood might spend their nights in song and carousal—but not Tabitha, the large gray Maltese belonging to Mrs. Gilbert T. Sutton, of Staten Island, New York. That's why Tabitha lived 29 years and seven months. E. M. Kettner, veterinarian, said as the cat was being buried in the garden of her home.

Corn furnishes man with more than 100 commercial products.

Chestnut trees are most commonly used for telephone poles. 2252

Troubles Increasing

Man Without Country Is Now Man Without A Ship

John Dolanuk, "the man without a country," is also a man without a ship.

For the United States liner President Roosevelt sailed for Europe without him, refusing to recognize a deportation order issued by the U.S. department of labor.

Dolanuk rode 17,500 miles on the ship's lines last year as an uninvited guest. Its officials refused to accept him for deportation on the grounds it was physically impossible to land him in another country.

Dolanuk was born in Austrian territory later ceded to Roumania. Immigration officials said he had entered both Canada and the United States illegally, gone to Spain as a volunteer with the government forces, and later stowed away again for the United States.

Courts have tried vainly to straighten out the tangle of his national status. Great Britain, France, Germany, Roumania—among other countries—have refused him entry.

Alberta Oil Possibilities

Should Be In Increasing Demand By British Empire

Alberta oil should be in increased demand by the British Empire because of its high gasoline content, R. A. Brown, Jr., of Calgary, told the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy convention at Vancouver.

Turner Valley, producing more crude than the available market requires, looks to an embargo on oil imports from the United States and expansion of the domestic market through lower freight rates for an increased share of the British market overseas, he said.

Brown said the British Empire now produces only about five per cent. of its crude oil requirements. He discounted the feasibility of a pipeline west to the Pacific seaboard.

Brown expressed belief that as soon as potential production justified a large enough flow of oil, needed downward adjustment of railway freight rates would follow.

Lincoln Was Inventor

Application For Patent For Pontoon Found Among Old Papers

New York has just found an old safe dating back to the middle of the last century. Experts opened it with care, and found inside a number of models and papers. Some of the papers were signed "A. Lincoln Springfield, Illinois."

Investigation revealed that they had been written by the great President Abraham Lincoln himself, and were, in fact, proof of the statesman's leisure time hobby of invention. Among the contents of the safe was an application by Lincoln to patent a pontoon, which, filled with compressed air, would lift vessels "over bars or through shallow water without discharging their cargo."

Milk And Lemonade

Preferred By British Soldiers In India To Liquor

Rudyard Kipling notwithstanding, the modern British soldier in India prefers milk and lemonade to sterner stuff. Authorities attribute a sharp decrease in sunstroke and heat exhaustion to this preference, but the number of hospital admissions is still high. Of the 50,000 British troops in India, 30,000 annually are admitted to hospitals, twice the ratio for troops serving at home. For the 150,000 native soldiers the ratio is 300 per 1,000.

Thinking Is Power

Knowledge No Good Without It States Sir Frederick Banting

Sir Frederick Banting, co-discoverer of insulin and Professor of Medical Research at the University of Toronto, told students of Dalhousie University Medical School in Halifax: "Knowledge alone is not power," he said, "it is thinking that is power. There is a danger of too little thought and too much work. The idea is the most valuable thing in research. Ideas come only to the man who asks himself why, and answers the question for himself."

Widows in the Bena Bena tribes of New Guinea carry the skulls of their departed husbands about with them for the rest of their lives.

According to estimates, some 8,000,000 American school children are handicapped by defective hearing.

FOR COUGHS
Colds, Bronchitis
Mathieu's
Syrup
Malt the Syrup

Under The Evening Lamp

People Used To Study At Home During The Winter

The Fort McMurray News-Chronicle says the long winter evening was once a time when people would settle down in their living rooms, and enter on prolonged courses of study. They drew out long learned books from some library or book club, and were determined that the winter should not pass without some added culture. Or they borrowed some of the good old-fashioned 1,000-page novels, and set themselves down to prolonged enjoyment of those fascinating but wordy old tales.

To-day people are no longer satisfied to settle down around the fire-side. Modern life keeps us going so fast that we have forgotten how to say "whoa." If there isn't something to do almost every night, the people say they can't stand the boredom.

But the long winter evening under the living room lamp presents a quiet niche for next day's work, and people learned many things they needed to know.

Tribute To Baling Wire

Seems To Be Very Useful In Cases Of Emergency

It's a pity that more attention has not been given to the significance of baling wire. Best sellers have been written about lesser subjects. Without baling wire, how could the farmer have got along so well as he has?

Think of the gates held shut, the sets of harness fastened together and all the other emergency repair jobs made possible by a piece of cut-off baling wire. Nor is the farmer the only one to profit by this source of material. Automobiles, printing presses, coffee grinders, sewing machines and who knows what else are running this very day just because a length of baling wire was at hand at the opportune time. Some men even hold up their pants with the stuff.—Crane, Missouri, Chronicle.

Plays For Science

Violin Tests Instruments To Determine Tonal Effects

The smallest audience in his career listened to a two-hour violin concert by Jascha Heifetz in the physics department laboratory at Harvard University. Before Professor Frederick Saunders and one assistant, the renowned violinist played for the sake of science. By analysis and recording of sound waves, Prof. Saunders hopes to determine whether new, relatively inexpensive instruments, when played by a master, will give the same tone as the priceless violins made by the great of centuries ago.

SELECTED RECIPES

CARAMEL CAKE

1 cup sugar
1/2 cup Brown Brand Corn Syrup
1/2 cup boiling water
1/2 cup shortening
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 eggs, separated
2 cups pastry flour
1/2 teaspoon salt

Method: Melt 1/2 cup sugar in iron frying pan over low heat. When liquid has Brown Brand Corn Syrup, add well. Remove from heat; add boiling water; stir until dissolved. Cream the shortening and add remaining 1/2 cup sugar, vanilla and well-beaten egg yolks. Beat well, add sifted dry ingredients alternately with caramel syrup. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into pan 8" x 8" which has been lined with wax paper and oiled with Mazonia. Bake in moderate oven. While still slightly warm pour over it Caramel icing.

CHERRY CORNSTARCH PUDDING

1 1/2 cups juice from canned red cherries
3 tablespoons Benson's or Canada Corn Starch
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup cold cherry juice
2 tablespoons lemon juice

Heat cherry juice to boiling in a saucepan. Mix Corn Starch and sugar to a paste with 1/4 cup cold cherry juice, stir into hot juice. Cook over low heat for five minutes, stirring constantly. Add lemon juice; cook for ten minutes longer. Mould; chill thoroughly. Serve with whipped cream. (Six servings).

During the reign of King Edward III. of England the iron pots and frying pans doing duty in the royal kitchen were classed as part of the crown jewels.

Luigi Pirandello, Italian playwright, never wrote a play until he was over 50, and won the \$50,000 Nobel Prize for literature after he had passed 75.

Vicar (benevolently): And what is your name, my little man?
Small Boy: Well, if that ain't the limit. Why, it was you that christened me.

A Japanese delicacy, served only when favored guests are present, is bee rice, a concoction of wild bees cooked with rice.

Drama Festivals

Amateur Theatrical Groups Are Now Rehearsing Plays

Amateur theatrical groups in cities and towns across Canada have started rehearsing plays to be presented at regional festivals preceding the Dominion drama festival in London, Ont., next April.

Festival governors are considering appointment of an adjudicator for the regional competitions but have not yet made a choice. Malcolm Morley, English playwright and actor, did the work last year.

Preliminary competitions will start early in January and conclude in mid-March. The season will open in Kentville with the productions from Nova Scotia on Jan. 9 and 10, Prince Edward Island entries will be staged in Charlottetown Jan. 12-13 and the New Brunswick players will hold their festival in Saint John Jan. 16-18.

Dates of western regional festivals have been set for Saskatchewan Feb. 8-11 in Regina; British Columbia, Feb. 15-18 in Victoria, and Alberta, Feb. 22-25 at Edmonton.

Approximately 62,000, or five per cent. of the telephones in Canada are operated by rural co-operative systems, in which there is a total investment of \$19,193,394.

The spoonbill gets its food by wading, and swinging its huge spoon-shaped bill from side to side through the mud and water as it advances.

Insects have blood of various hues; it may be red, green, violet, or colorless.

Buy Christmas Seals



This happy group of young boys are receiving Tuberculin. Those who show infection will be X-rayed.

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3 In providing travelling clinics to assist physicians in the diagnosis of suspected cases in areas remote from the above stationary clinics.

RESULTS...

1 The tuberculosis death rate in Saskatchewan has been cut in half during the past fifteen years among the white population. In fact, Saskatchewan has the lowest death-rate in the Dominion of Canada.

2 Tuberculosis infection among school children has been reduced by 75%.

3 Since the preventive programme was commenced in 1928 more than 90,000 persons, nearly all children and young adults, have been examined at the expense of the CHRISTMAS SEAL FUND.

WILL YOU HELP?...

1 Christmas Seals have been sent to nearly forty thousand homes in Saskatchewan and the Christmas Seal Committee is asking your support. If by any chance you have not received the seals, by communicating with Fort Sask. Bank, a supply will immediately go forward to you.

2 Send in your gift of Health now so that it can be put to work at once.

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TRADE TREATY EXPECTED TO OPEN WIDER MARKETS

Ottawa.—A broadened and smoother highway for Canadian products moving into the United States market was opened, but at the cost of the Dominion's wheat preference in the United Kingdom and a lessening of other preferences, including that on apples, in favor of the United States.

This was revealed when details of the new Canada-United States trade agreement, signed in Washington, were made public in Ottawa, accompanied by an explanation of Canada's part in the Anglo-American trade agreement, signed at the same time.

Canadian concessions to the United States were also on a broad line, lowering or preserving the rates on some 47 items in the tariff structure and promising early removal of the three per cent. excise tax on duty paid value of United States imports.

Briefly summarized Canada gives the United States the following concessions:

Reductions in duty on 283 items in the Canadian tariff, including a wide range of agricultural, fisheries and forests products, tobacco and spirits, chemicals and paints, earthenware, glassware, metals and their products, electrical apparatus, motors and motorcycles but not automobiles, aircraft, precision tools, heavy construction and mining equipment, household appliances, farm and fishing implements and equipment, textile and leather products and rubber tires.

In addition 146 items in the tariff are bound or "frozen" at their present rates for the duration of the agreement.

Reduction in duty on 129 items in the United States tariff and a bound or "frozen" level for the duration of the agreement on 73 additional items. Maximum reductions or less are given on all fish, fresh and salt-water, potatoes, lumber and shingles, cattle, dairy products, hog products, horses, clover and grass seeds, turkeys, silver fox skins, blueberries, poultry products, pulp and paper products, metals, non-metallic minerals, ferro-alloys, whiskey, acetate acid and a wide range of manufactured goods.

Virtually every kind of fish caught in Canada will enter United States at a lowered duty rate, in many instances the reduction amounting to the maximum of 50 per cent. below the 1930 rate which in the limit President Roosevelt is empowered by congress to lower tariffs.

Livestock quotas were increased, potatoes given the maximum tariff reductions either for table or seed use, with seasonal provisions and quotas, and the maximum reduction effected on fresh or chilled pork, with lesser reductions on bacon and other hog products.

The new agreement superseded that which was concluded Nov. 15, 1935. All concessions obtained in the 1935 agreement were retained and a much greater number of new concessions added.

To facilitate negotiation of the Anglo-American agreement Canada, in common with other members of the British Commonwealth, sacrificed certain preferences on the United Kingdom market.

The preference of six cents a bushel on wheat was removed, so far as the United States was concerned. The preference of four and a half shillings a hundredweight on raw apples was reduced to three shillings covering the period Aug. 16 to April 15, and the same applies to pears.

Preferences were also lowered on preserved apples, honey, timber, chilled or frozen salmon and patent leather.

Heavy Orders For Radium

Have Been Received In Canada From British Official Bodies

Toronto.—Canada has received exceptionally heavy orders for radium from British official bodies within the last month to six weeks, the head office of Eldorado Gold Mines Limited, said when asked regarding the London report a purchase of radium to the value of \$2,500,000 was planned. The Canadian industry would be capable of filling an order as large as that mentioned on the usual basis of sale for the rare element—delivery over a period of time, a company statement said.

Australia's Wheat Crop
Melbourne, Australia.—Plagues of insects and drought were said to have resulted in a 75 per cent. reduction in Victoria's estimated wheat crop of 12,000,000 bushels. Caterpillars, grasshoppers and other insects are ravaging crops throughout the state.

Prison Reform

Britain To Abolish The Flogging Of Criminals

London.—Flogging of criminals will be abolished, except for serious offences committed within prison walls, under the terms of the government's bill issued recently.

Mutiny, incitement to mutiny and gross personal violence to a prison official will be the only crimes for which flogging may be ordered.

The measure, called the criminal justice bill, does away with hard labor and wipes out the term "convict."

Of particular importance in the bill were measures modifying the treatment of the young offender. "Juvenile compulsory attendance centres" will be established in the large cities where children between 12 and 17 will be required to attend in spare time as punishment for minor offences.

Offenders between the ages of 17 and 23 will be sent to special remand centres instead of prison when remanded in custody or committed for trial.

Hostels will be established for youths of 16 to 21 guilty of non-serious offences. At these places disciplinary conditions will be imposed but the occupants will be permitted to continue their regular jobs.

Habitual criminals will be divided into two categories, under 30 and over that age.

The court will be empowered to impose corrective training on the younger classification and preventive detention on the older persons in lieu of imprisonment.

The term "state mental patient" will be substituted for "criminal lunatic." The terms "hard labor" and "penal servitude" will be abolished.

The House of Commons also expressed approval of the experimental abolition of the death penalty for crimes of violence.

It carried, by a vote of 114 to 89, a motion of Vyvyan Adams, Conservative, proposing abolition for a five-year period in peace time.

Claims To Be Air Pilot

Canadian Suffering From Amnesia Detained In England

Richmond, Eng.—A man suffering from amnesia who identified himself as Kaye T. Winton and said he was a former Canadian air pilot, was detained at the Surrey county council's institution here.

In an English accent, Winton told The Canadian Press he came to England aboard the liner Duchess of Bedford, but could not recall how long ago or where he had been since he landed. He walked into Barnes police station without identification papers. He said his passport and other identifications were lost.

Winton said he was born at White Springs, Alta., worked for an air transport company with a base in Regina, and believed he was involved in a crash about four months ago. He recalled his nick-name was "KIT" and said those three letters were the radio call of his plane.

He said he recalled the name of Peter McGuire and being prompted said he remembered Leigh Brinell, general manager of Mackenzie Airways, and had a "hazy recollection" of "Wop" May, office chief of Canadian Airways at Edmonton.

Winton is apparently about 27, five feet seven inches tall, has light brown hair and a moustache, and talked slowly. He said his effort of trying to remember gave him a severe headache.

Declaration Signed

Which Brings Into Effect Pact Between Britain And Italy

Rome.—Recognition by England of Italy's conquest of Ethiopia took place when the Earl of Perth, British ambassador, presented his credentials to Foreign Minister Galeazzo Ciano.

Later Lord Perth and Count Ciano signed a declaration bringing into effect the Anglo-Italian pact signed April 16.

The pact involved withdrawal of troops from Spain and Libya, adherence to the 1936 London naval treaty, reassurance that Italy had no aspirations in Spain, re-affirmation of guarantees respecting Lake Tana, the source of the Nile river, abandonment of all claims to influence in Arabian territories and extension of British trading facilities to Ethiopia.

Some Caretakers Well Paid

Toronto.—Officials at the Toronto school administration building made public figures showing some caretakers of Toronto schools to be a net income higher than the salary at which high school principals start. One caretaker receives \$3,857, compared with the \$3,600 at which principals start.

Trans-Canada Service

Air Lines Are Opening Up A Wide Field For Youth

Ottawa.—A wide field for youth had opened up by the development of Trans-Canada Air Lines, Hon. C. D. Howe, transport minister, told a meeting of Liberal women. There are 350 persons under 25 years of age trained in the service and many others undergoing a thorough course in ground work, instrument flying and mechanics.

"Our record has been clear of accidents or errors since operations began the middle of September and there has only been one cancellation on account of weather," he said. "We are making absolutely sure every precaution is being taken."

FLAT OPPOSITION TO HANDING BACK GERMAN COLONIES

London.—The British and French governments joined in flat opposition to handing back colonies taken from Germany through the Great War.

The British attitude was bolstered by the statement of General Jan Smuts, South African minister of justice, at Maritzburg, Natal, South Africa, that "we are going to defend South Africa and its vital interests, including Southwest Africa, to the uttermost."

Premier Daladier of France, in answer to inquiries from the chamber of deputies colonies committee, said in part:

"Several weeks ago it (the government) made known that France would oppose any blow at its colonial empire and that it would maintain resolutely the integrity of its possessions as they were constituted at the end of the Great War."

"No concession has ever been envisaged, nor could one be. . . ."

In London, Malcolm MacDonald, colonial and dominions secretary, told the House of Commons his government authorized the announcement that it "did not contemplate the transfer of any territory under British administration."

These developments emphasized the possibility colonial appointment of Germany would have to be based on either acquisition of African territory from Belgium or formation of an international "colonial pool" in which Germany, as a member, would be given free access to her former possessions.

Maritzburg, South Africa.—General Jan Smuts declared the South African Union would fight if necessary to retain her mandate over southwest Africa, former German colony.

In a speech the statesman termed a "sacred trust" the League of Nations mandate which was granted South Africa in 1920 to rule the 318,000 square miles of territory taken from Germany in 1915.

"We are going to defend South Africa and its vital interests, including Southwest Africa, to the uttermost," he said.

Speaking of Defence Minister Oswald Pirow's current visit to Europe General Smuts declared, "Mr. Pirow has gone to see if he can get from the British government and British manufacturers the means of defence which are vitally necessary for protection of the Union of South Africa."

Seeks Britain's Help

London.—King Carol of Roumania made a public plea for British financial and economic help in guiding his country along a path of "peaceful understanding."

EARL DE LA WARR



Who succeeds Earl Stanhope as President of the Board of Education in the British Cabinet.

Order For Large Bombers

Signed Between British Government And Canadian Aircraft Manufacturers

London.—Sir Kingsley Wood, secretary for air, announced in the House of Commons an agreement had been signed between the government and Canadian aircraft manufacturers for an initial United Kingdom order for large bombers.

The air minister said the Canadian aircraft firms concerned undertook to maintain during the next ten years manufacturing capacity available for further potential orders of a smaller character if required.

Sir Kingsley said the type of machine to be constructed would be the Hampden and that the agreement represented a considerable development of Canadian manufacturing capacity in preparation for the large production of aircraft of a still more advanced type.

The minister said an associate company will control the whole scheme and provide two central establishments, at Montreal and Toronto.

"In addition to arrangements for the group manufacture of large bombers, negotiations are now proceeding in London with two Canadian companies for the manufacture of fighter and general reconnaissance type at Fort William and Vancouver, respectively."

"The aircraft orders are due for delivery during 1940. Although it would not be in the public interest to disclose numbers, the orders represent a very considerable development in Canadian manufacturing capacity in preparation for a large production program which will call for aircraft of a still more advanced type and running parallel with the later stages of the initial order."

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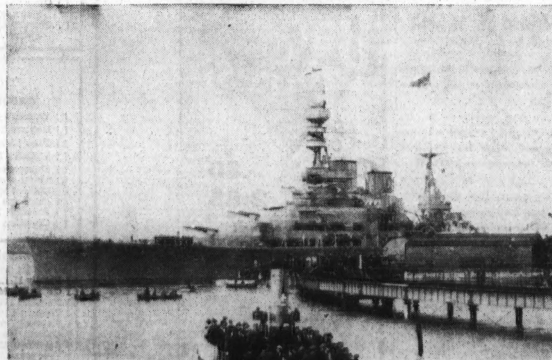
Major-General A. E. Grasett, Of Toronto, To Command British Troops In China

London.—Appointment of Major-General A. E. Grasett, native of Toronto, as general officer commanding the British troops in China, was gazetted. The appointment is effective from Nov. 4.

General Grasett succeeded Major-General A. W. Bartholomew who had held the Chinese post for two years.

General Grasett, born in 1888, was educated at Upper Canada college, Toronto, and Royal Military College, Kingston, Ont. He is a graduate of the Staff College and of the Imperial Defence College, both of the United Kingdom. He entered the Royal Engineers in 1909 and gave distinguished service in France during the Great War, and on the northwest border of India.

H.M.S. REFULSE IN PORTSMOUTH HARBOUR



Their Majesties King George and Queen Elizabeth will make their journey to Canada, next May, in this warship.

Labor Candidate Defeated

Sir George Schuster Retains Seat For Government In British By-election

London.—Sir George Schuster retained for the government the Walsall House of Commons seat in a by-election fought on Prime Minister Chamberlain's foreign policy.

Sir George, banker, running as a National Liberal with full government backing, defeated the Labor candidate, George Jeger, by a margin of 7,158 votes. Sir George polled 28,720 votes to 21,562 for his only opponent.

Although Jewish suffering in Germany was brought in by the opposition to bolster its argument that the government had failed in its attempt to achieve real appeasement in Europe, Labor could not repeat its success of Nov. 7 when it wrested the Dartford seat from the government.

Sir George's majority compared with a margin of 8,969 scored in the general election. "The electorate recognized Mr. Chamberlain saved Britain from war and that his government afforded the best hope for better employment and a greater extension of social services," Sir George said after his election was declared.

Mr. Jeger, 34-year-old mayor of Shorelitch, contended the government would get "very little satisfaction" from the result. "The people of Walsall were so bewildered by the recent events they have not yet come to understanding of the effects of Munich on the nation's future," he declared.

INDIGNATION IN U.S. OVER GERMAN ATTITUDE TO JEWS

New York.—The mounting United States wave of indignation over Germany's anti-Semitic campaigns swept in new proposals for resettling Jewish refugees in the United States and Africa as well as demands for economic and diplomatic reprisals against the Nazi regime.

Six Catholic dignitaries in a nationwide broadcast voiced what their master of ceremonies, Rev. Maurice Sheehy of Washington, said, was "firm indignation against the atrocities visited upon the Jews in Germany."

More than 100 bishops, ministers and laymen of the Methodist Episcopal church, here for the 120th annual meeting of its board of foreign missions, unanimously adopted a resolution condemning "unspeakable persecution" in Germany.

Mrs. Mary Ries, widow of Jacob Ries, philanthropist, proposed in an open letter to President Roosevelt that an American committee be established to finance the mass immigration of the entire German Jewish population of 600,000 into the United States.

Estelle M. Sternberger, executive director of World Peaceways, suggested British areas in South Africa be set aside for refugees and that credits for the colonies be furnished by Great Britain, the United States, France and the Netherlands.

Thirty-six United States writers, including two Nobel prize winners—Pearl S. Buck and Eugene O'Neill—wired President Roosevelt asking him to "sever trade relations with Nazi Germany, to declare an embargo on all Nazi German goods."

Signers of the wire included such figures as Edna Ferber, John Gunther, Dashiell Hammett, George S. Kaufman, Dorothy Parker, George Seldes and Thornton Wilder.

NEW HOMES FOR JEWISH REFUGEES TO BE LOCATED

London.—Prime Minister Chamberlain told the House of Commons the matter of finding new homes for German Jewish refugees was being treated as one of urgency.

He said the problem had been taken up with governors of a number of British colonies, including the governor of Tanganyika, former German East Africa, now a British mandate.

The British government was said by a high authority to have agreed to try to operate a plan offered by the United States ambassador, Joseph Kennedy, for receiving thousands of Jews from Germany.

The "Kennedy plan" has been described authoritatively as calling for an effort to remove the majority of the 600,000 Jews in Germany to North and South America and parts of the British, French and Netherlands empires.

Details of the proposals, which are to be presented also to France, the Netherlands, Latin American republics and other states, are expected to be worked out at forthcoming meetings of the inter-governmental committee on refugees, formed last July at a session in Geneva.

It was estimated it would cost about \$600 a family to move Jews from Germany to new homes in other lands. The United States' part in the plan was understood to be mainly financial.

Mr. Kennedy conferred with Malcolm MacDonald, secretary for the dominions and colonies.

It was understood Britain would try to move Jewish refugees considered in immediate danger to British Guiana and other British colonies as soon as possible.

Some of the British dominions were understood to have offered to accept some refugees.

Germany's reply to the British protest over an attack on British statesmen in the German press had been noted but not accepted, Reuters news agency reported in a Berlin despatch.

The protest was based on publication of photographs of Winston Churchill, Anthony Eden and Alfred Duff Cooper, former first lord of the admiralty, in Der Angriff, organ of Propaganda Minister Joseph Goebbels, with a caption implying that the British statesmen were linked with the assassination of Ernst vom Rath, German embassy secretary at Paris.

The Reuters despatch from Berlin said: "The fact that the version of the Reuters interview published in Germany did not contain Goebbels' assurance that the affair would be looked into has been particularly noted."

Goebbels, in an interview with Reuters, was quoted as saying he did not approve publication of Der Angriff's statements and that he would "have the mistake immediately cleared up."

"Cases of British Jews in business in Germany, whose property and stock have been damaged during the anti-Semitic disturbances, are still being investigated. Great Britain reserved the right to lodge claims for compensation and if such claims are warranted it is assumed they will be formally conveyed to the German government."

Public Health

Nutrition Survey To Be Extended

Ottawa.—Extension next year of nutrition surveys in Canada and inauguration of new investigation work in this field of public health were announced by Hon. C. G. Power, Dominion health minister.

In Alberta a study of 100 families, on a budgetary basis, has been completed. Arrangements are being made for a survey to be carried out on the actual consumption of food by members of 100 Alberta families. The survey will be conducted by the University of Alberta.

Accepts New Post

Winnipeg.—W. F. Geddes, chemist in charge of the grain research laboratory of the Canadian board of grain commissioners, has accepted an appointment at the University of Minnesota. He will become professor of agricultural biochemistry at the United States university.

Sentenced To Hard Labor

Salzburg, Germany.—Sentences to hard labor on western fortifications were given 30 Austrian army reservists who refused to take the German oath when called for duty during the Sudetenland crisis in September.

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Beginning New Feature.

Beginning either next week or the week after, we will publish the first chapter of an article on the history of His Majesty King George VI, who, with Queen Elizabeth, will visit Canada.

In view of this momentous visit to Canada of Their Majesties, this history of King George is a timely feature which is positive to prove of extraordinary interest to our readers.

"Fire!!!"

The first time for some months have we heard this word, which had almost gone into oblivion. Yet it was true. There was really a fire in Crossfield.

With the little practise the firemen have had, they did very well, and the speed with which the fire chemicals were moved to the fire could not have been bettered, according to the prevailing conditions.

We do feel that if the snow which blocked the front of the fire hall had been removed a few days previous, the volunteers, who assisted the firemen, would not have had to push quite as hard to get the door through the snow, let alone filling their shoes.

However, we are looking forward to a better brigade, and when the necessary vehicle has been located, (with the odd fire practise, which is very helpful) we will have proper fire-fighting men and equipment.

New Volume.

Next week marks another anniversary of the Chronicle, which is another good feature of the village.

Since 1907 the Crossfield Chronicle has operated, perhaps lagging at times, but always have those in charge taken interest in the community and endeavored to keep the name of "Crossfield" in rank with other towns of the province.

It is our aim, as citizens and the mouthpiece of Crossfield, to do our utmost for and in the community in which we live. And as we begin a new volume, with a continuance of the support rendered in the past, and other circumstances, which may cannot control, are favourable, all will be well.

Let us therefore, as fellow citizens, pull together and endeavour to raise the fallen thus keeping the proper community spirit at the top.

Winners.

The following are the members of the Crossfield "Dress up for Christmas Club" in the order they receive their suits

1. G. McDonald
2. F. T. Baker
3. H. Ballam
4. J. Chalmers
5. Henry Johnson
6. W. Emerson
7. Geo. R. Jones
8. G. Lim
9. W. J. Wood
10. G. E. Wall
11. E. Hopkins
12. W. G. Landmore
13. E. H. Waterhouse
14. N. G. Tweedle
15. W. Walker
16. W. E. Snive
17. A. D. Stevens
18. W. Harris
19. F. Collins
20. W. A. Hurt
21. Fred Heywood
22. S. Willis
23. H. A. Bannister
24. G. Dawson
25. R. Waterhouse

Informed Opinion.

"A Personal Inventory"

(Name Withheld)

(Comment—The following article is a commendable piece of work in unbiased and unprejudiced self-analysis by a member of the group in Vocational Guidance, and illustrates one phase of the work that is being done in the new courses.—W. K. G.)

My physical appearance is in no way striking but merely mediocre. I am of average height, well proportioned, very healthy, and dark in complexion.

My tastes are varied. I prefer plain foods to the more elaborate ones; I am fond of the out-of-doors, and I like animals. I have a moderate appreciation of music, dramatics and art; subterfuge in the human race I dislike immensely.

I have a rather vexatious temperament, and I frequently find difficulty in controlling myself. I am straightforward in my manner. This enables me to make myself at home in varied circumstances, I am somewhat quick-tempered and self-constrained, and I have violent likes and dislikes which I find hard to conceal. I have a tendency to form lasting opinions too rapidly.

My mentality is characterized by average reasoning ability and logical thought. This good fortune is perhaps slightly marred by the fact that I am a shade cynical in spite of my generally optimistic outlook. I enjoy the "glorious privilege of being independent." I realize that my slightly exaggerated ideas of the importance of being independent and definitely opinionated; when I choose, may require tempering to a great extent.

Because of my ambitions in life I am cultivating versatile abilities. I find by experience that I have the potentiality for efficient management and organization, and that I have developed an averaged business acumen.

Debilities in my personality are not numerous but are rather detrimental. My abrupt manner often intimidates others of less assertiveness. I am inclined to be rash in judging others too harshly and am apt to be too critical.

Having due regard for the particular characteristics of my general make-up, I have chosen to specialize in general secretarial work.

The World of Wheat

By H. G. L. Strang

Twenty years ago the blessings of peace descended upon a war-weary world.

The peace had been won by the soldiers of the allied armies who for four and a half years had endured the most acute hardships and sufferings. The allied soldiers won back the land the enemy had conquered, made him sue for peace, disarmed him and then occupied his territory; and afterwards, by their good behaviour and by their fair and kindly treatment, the British soldiers won the high regard, the respect and esteem of the enemy people.

Now the world is re-arming on a scale greater than ever. The people of some countries have been required to give up butter for more guns, and soon we may all be asked to give up butter and even bread for more armaments, and shortly the sons of the old soldiers will undoubtedly be called upon to fight the

Goozles.

Cliff and Archie sizing up the Chronicle-donians. Cliff's a real man now. He's smoking a pipe.

Mrs. Gilchrist lured by sweet music.
Mrs. Jones looking for the scissors.

Bud McCaskill going to California if he catches five coyotes in his weasel traps.

Brandon and Bennie doing home work.

Colds are contagious. We know.
Even Corporal Cameron enjoys reading this column.

very same war all over again.

Pondering over all this, the war veterans at an Armistice Day Reunion, in Winnipeg, thought that the politicians of the world should be required to give an accounting of what they had done with the Victory and the Peace that was handed to them for safe-keeping by the allied soldiers twenty years ago

"Agriculture in the first place, is not only an art but an important and noble art. It is, as well, a science, which teaches what crops are to be planted in each kind of soil, and what operations are to be carried on, in order that the land may regularly produce the largest crops. Equipped with this knowledge the farmer should aim at two goals, profit and pleasure; the object of the first is material return, and of the second enjoyment"

This remarkable piece of wisdom, setting out in memorable words the very heart and soul of agriculture, was written by one of the greatest agriculturists the world has known—Marcus Terentius Varro—Senator of Rome, about 50 B.C., just over 2,000 years ago, in his book entitled "On Agriculture."

The pleasure and enjoyment of which Varro writes, is no doubt that exalted feeling which comes to those who in their work are striving to excel, who are aiming to achieve the highest possible skill in their craft, and who experience such a love and pride in their work that they become veritably inspired with a desire to attain perfection itself.

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Plan to Settle Ten Thousand British Families In B. C. At Cost Of \$50,000,000

Sir Henry Page Croft and R. L. Dalgleish issued a report calling for establishment of an "empire development company" to promote early settlement of 10,000 British families in British Columbia at an estimated cost of \$50,000,000 (\$50,000,000) to be met by a British government contribution or by public subscription under the Trade Facilities Act.

The report, submitted to the British cabinet, runs about 14,000 words. It contains conclusions drawn by Sir Henry, chairman of the Empire development and research committee, and by Mr. Dalgleish, convenor of the 1935 Empire settlement conference at Newcastle, following a tour through British Columbia last August.

The report says the British Columbia government promised "hearted co-operation" and Premier Pattullo made a "generous offer of free land." It suggested immediate steps be taken to accept the offer and prepare for the early advent of settlers.

The company would promote community settlements in areas found suitable after soil and topographical surveys designed to determine that fertility and moisture supplies were adequate for remunerative farming.

Its activities would not be confined to British Columbia but would stretch to the plan of the two men called for formation of a company authorized to settle "such areas within the British dominions and the British colonial empire as appear to present the most favorable opportunities for investment of British capital and subject to the concurrence and approval of the governments concerned."

The company would be a private corporation responsible to shareholders but the report said "it will be the object of His Majesty's government to assist the company out of schemes of development and settlement which the board of the company may decide to promote and which have the approval of the secretary of state for the dominions or the secretary of state for the colonies, whose it may respectively concern, and that of the governments of the territories affected."

The report says community settlements should be organized according to the district settled and the board should take steps to occupy the gift of land or purchase developed farms, clear land, and erect buildings, using Canadian contractors to prepare for reception of the settlers.

It added that of nine undeveloped areas surveyed, in August six appeared suitable for settlement.

The report estimated if 10,000 settlers were sent to British Columbia between \$35,000,000 and \$40,000,000 would be expended in erecting houses and buying livestock, agricultural implements, tools and the like in Canada.

It is estimated it would cost \$5,000 to settle a family under the community organization, allowing for overhead charges and training.

All land, buildings, machinery, and livestock would remain the property of the state, but the settler paid off his indebtedness. The settler would start paying two years after he settled and would have 23 years in which to liquidate his debt, if it required that long.

A Flask Of Mercury

The Mineral Versatility Of The Cariboo District

A dash of mercury, the first ever produced in British Columbia, has been shipped from the Bridge River country to Eastern Canada. British Columbia has imported a lot of mercury in the past 80 years, for use in the recovery of gold. Now the province has a mercury mine of its own. The shipment marks an interesting if not an important point in the mining history of British Columbia.

The shipment is also another bit of evidence of the mineral versatility of the Cariboo district—Vancouver Province.

Percentage Is Low

There are many mistaken impressions in our own Dominion regarding the Jews, their number and activities, which in justice to them should be removed. According to the census figures for 1931, the Jews represented only 1.5 per cent. of the population, the increase since that time being trivial.

The soap plant is a native of Mexico and Colorado. When its roots are placed in water, they form suds which may be used for washing.

Crocodiles do not swim with their legs, but with their tails.

BAGGED WOLF NEAR CANADA'S CAPITAL



With one shot from a 12-gauge single barrel shotgun, 85-year-old James Black, a blacksmith of Merivale, Ont., just a few miles from Ottawa, brought down this timber wolf, weighing 85 pounds. He dropped it at a distance of 40 yards.

Give Their Own Light

New Synthetic Material In Tools For Surgeons' Use

New surgical tools which give their own light like fireflies or glow worms were exhibited to the American College of Surgeons.

One, called a depressor, could be substituted for the spoon which grandmothers used to hold down a child's tongue while looking for a sore throat.

Of clear, glassy material, solid and a quarter of an inch thick, this new tool would glow all over with a green-yellow light. But its lower tip, down in the throat, would shine with a brilliant light to illuminate the throat.

These tools are made of a new synthetic material which is as clear as glass. But it has the peculiar property that light will follow its interior around a curve.

The tools are made of solid pieces, shaped for a particular surgical purpose, and fitted into handles. In the handle is an electric light bulb.

The light can be of any brightness needed. Its full beam will emerge from the other end of the tool.

By frosting the glassy surface, the interior beams are caused to emerge not only at the ends, but from whatever area they will best illuminate the surgeon's job.

Largest of these new tools are the "retractors," shaped like the handles of canes. They are used in surgery to pull back the edges of a wound as the surgical knife goes deeper.

Great advances in electricity as an aid to surgery were exhibited. One is the radio knife, an instrument which will make an incision half an inch deep merely by resting the edge of the knife on the skin.

Supports Old Theory

The Farmer's Advocate says the old theory that the moon has a lot to do with the behaviour of man and plants gets further support from police court records. Offences, it seems, are numerous during the full of the moon and the cells empty as the moon begins to wane. Wife-beaters are particularly aggressive during the full of the moon. Some women may find this statistical data highly valuable.



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There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published.

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Combat Horse Disease

Use Of New Vaccine May Remove Danger Of Further Epidemics

Development of a successful preventive agent for equine encephalomyelitis has opened up a whole field of possible prevention of human virus diseases. Dr. J. S. Fulton, head of the animal diseases laboratory at Saskatchewan University, said when asked to elaborate upon a report he has made regarding the use of chick vaccine on horses this year.

The successful use of chick vaccine on horses has given rise to research in a field previously not considered, and similar methods may prove to be successful in the prevention of such human diseases as encephalitis (sleeping sickness), poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis) and others, Dr. Fulton said.

In his report of the scientific means available to prevent another epidemic of encephalomyelitis, Dr. Fulton observed:

"The development of this protective agent (chick vaccine), will be considered as one of the marks in the progress of preventive medicine and the same principle employed in its production will, no doubt, be used in producing vaccines for other virus diseases."

Doctor Fulton explained that this reference was both to animal and human virus diseases. Already, his laboratory is working on a possible preventive agent for another horse virus disease. At the same time research has been under way in the year to determine the possibility of transmitting the equine encephalitis to human beings is being continued.

This investigation has been slow, but is being carried on unrelentingly. Already it has been discovered that the eastern type of equine encephalitis may be transmitted to human beings and that a number of persons have died from infection with the same virus. Facilities for research have been more limited in the investigation of the western type. There have been a number of cases of human encephalitis in Saskatchewan in recent years, and the possibility that it has been transmitted from sick horses has not been discarded.

Encephalomyelitis, which decimated the horse population of Saskatchewan this year after two previous epidemics, need not worry the farmers as it has in the past, Dr. Fulton said in his report. Mentioning the development of chick vaccine by United States scientists, he wrote:

"We now have in our hands a most reliable weapon for the prevention of encephalomyelitis among horses and there is no need whatever for farmers to become panicky when the next encephalomyelitis season approaches as all susceptible animals can be absolutely protected if vaccination is practiced. Not only can the disease be controlled next year, but, if all horses are vaccinated regularly for several seasons, the disease will in all probability disappear."

Grapes on a vine growing across the front of three houses in Harrington, England, have to be guarded against thieves by a night watch of tenants.

A pound of steel costs less than a pound of any other metal, and often less than many common woods.

Scotland has a campaign against swing versions of old Scotch songs.

Honor For Geologist

Former Member Of Geological Survey Of Canada Awarded Medal

Dr. Andrew Cowper Lawson, professor of geology and mineralogy at the University of California, former member of the Geological Survey of Canada, was awarded the Penrose medal, the highest honor of the Geological Society of America.

Announcing the award, Dr. Arthur L. Day, president, referred to Dr. Lawson's "eminent research in pure geology, and outstanding original contributions and achievements which mark a decided advance in the science of geology."

Dr. Lawson, a native of Scotland, was a member of the Geological Survey of Canada from 1882 to 1890 and worked on the pre-Cambrian rocks of the Lake of the Woods and Rainy Lake district in Ontario.

Captain—"How did you get that black eye?"

Sailor—"I went ashore last night looking for trouble and that's the eye I found it with."

Landlady: "If you don't stop playing that saxophone you'll drive me crazy."

Sax player: "Guess it's too late. I stopped playing an hour ago."

Paul Gebhard, 14-year-old Denver, Colo., boy, found the fossil of an ancient mail, which, when alive, had weighed 20 pounds.

Most of the 25,000,000 maple sugar trees which Canada taps annually are located in Quebec.

The world's largest lumber mill is located at Potlatch, Idaho.

The great author, Joseph Conrad, couldn't speak a word of English at twenty—and he wrote for nineteen years before making a penny from literature.

"Bandals," shoes with canvas wings to increase speed in swimming, have appeared in London.

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By Order of the Village Council.
T. Tredaway, Sec.-Treas.

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Church Notices

Church of the Ascension
(ANGLICAN)

Sunday, November 27th
1st Sunday in Advent
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Bible Class
Rev. A. D. CURRIE, Rector

United Church Services

Sunday, November 27th
"Blessed are the merciful, for they
shall obtain mercy."
Sunday School 11:15 a.m.
Maiden 11:15 a.m.
Crossfield 7:30 p.m.
Rev. S. Hunt, B.A.B.D., Minister

Crossfield Baptist Church

Regular Sunday Services
11:00 a.m. Morning Service
12:00 noon Sunday School
8:00 p.m. Evening Service
Services at Abernethy 3:00 p.m.
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An Ad In This Column
Produces Results

Local and General.

R. James was a city visitor Friday.
Mrs. F. H. Fleming was a Calgary
visitor Friday.

Geo. Lind returned Monday from
a visit with his sister at Winnipeg.
Mr. Lim, of Ashcroft B. C. is
visiting his son, G. Lim.

Norman Johnson was a Calgary
visitor Wednesday.
O. E. Coffin was a Calgary visitor
Tuesday.

Miss Irene Walker, who has spent
a number of months at Calgary,
returned home last weekend.

The Baptist Church Christmas
programme will be held on Friday,
December 23rd.

Miss Esther Norby, of Calgary, is
in the Abernethy district on mission
work.

The Floral School Christmas
programme will be held on Friday De-
cember 23rd.

E. Bills is going to Calgary to-day
(Thursday) and will return with a
1939 Master Chevrolet sedan.

The Anglican Church Christmas
tree will be held on Thursday,
December 22nd.

The Christmas concert of the
Inverlea School will be held Thurs-
day, December 22nd, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lewis left for
Didsbury Tuesday, where they will
take up residence on a farm.

Miss Grace Sackett, who has spent
several weeks at Calgary, taking a
sewing course, returned home Wed-
nesday last.

Have your pictures oil tinted.
Satisfactory work and special prices,
at Crossfield Beauty Salon. Watch
for more details next week.

The Misses Stella and Alma
Gordon, of Calgary, were weekend
visitors at the home of their parents
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gordon.

Miss Violet Currie is home from
the Banff school and has been or-
dered to bed for three weeks;
visitors to be kept at a minimum.

Miss Jean Hughes was the winner
of the draw in aid of the Wessex
community skating rink. The lucky
ticket was drawn by Corporal
Cameron.

All hail for the election of skips
for the curling season. A meeting
will be held by the Crossfield Curl-
ing Club, at the rink, Monday eve-
ning next, November 28th.

Miss Mabel Gordon, who has spent
the summer and fall at Three
Hills, arrived home last weekend.
She leaves next week for Edmonton,
where she will begin mission work.

The United Church Sunday
School Christmas concert will be
held on Wednesday, December 21st,
in the U.F.A. Hall, at 8:00 p.m.
Silver collection.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Zang, of Cal-
gary, were weekend visitors at the
home of the latter's parents, Mr.
and Mrs. L. Overby.

The Floral U. F. W. A. are spon-
soring another dance, on December
7th, at the East Community Hall.
Proceeds for the benefit of the
hall. Come and enjoy yourself to
the music of "The Rocky Mountain
Rangers." Gents 50c, Ladies 25c
Supper free.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

FOR SALE—Two-year-old White Hol-
land Gobbler, or would trade for two
young hens, any breed. Mrs. R.
Arnott, phone 1109, Crossfield. (prdd)

FOR SALE—About 25 Leghorn Pullets,
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FOUND—Car Chain, 1 mile west of
Crossfield. Owner can have same by
paying small reward and this ad. (rd)

STRAYED—Black Filly, two years
old, white strip in face. Branded
on left shoulder. Reward.
Little Dairy, phone R1005, Coch-
rane. (prad)

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the Crossfield district. Write Box 27,
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FOR SALE—SW 1/4 Section 1, Township
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Their Majesties King George and
Queen Elizabeth to Visit Canada

H.M. QUEEN ELIZABETH



H.M. KING GEORGE VI

The visit of Their Majesties, our
King and Queen, to Canada,
scheduled to take place in May
1939 is of far import, and may be
made to exert a more powerful in-
fluence on our National life than
any event of recent times if we but
make the most of it.

Symbolizing, as His Majesty does,
the spirit of those ideals that charac-
terize free peoples the world over,
His is the one personality to whom
Canadians, regardless of race,
politics, tongue, or creed, may pay
their homage. His, is the one figure
about whom all Britishers may
rally particularly in this, a time of
trouble and confusion.

So, while we inevitably would all
delight in welcoming Their Majesties,
let us not fail to make the occasion
serve its fundamental purpose—to
wipe away those petty differences
that now divide us, and to demon-
strate in the display of our devotion
to the Crown, that Canadians from
Coast to Coast are a united and
inseparable people; that in the
person of His Majesty we have a
common tie that not only binds us
to each other but to our British
brethren the world over.

We should not let the occasion
pass with but a colourful and heart-
felt welcome. We should make of
it a time of spiritual awakening, a
time for impressing on the many
just what the office of British King-
ship has come to symbolize.

It is quite obvious that Their
Majesties will be able to visit but
few points in the West, but we
suggest, their brief stay in the Pro-
vince should be observed by spiri-
tual and patriotic exercises in every
Community in the Province. In the
organization of such Provincial
wide observances, we respectfully
suggest, that each local authority
in the Province prepare to organize
an observance period, and that the
occasion be not allowed to pass
without impressing on all people
its deep significance.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

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thing this district has needed for
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further particulars.

Around Field and Barn.
By E.M.C.

What does A.R.P. mean. Agri-
culture Recovery program? no doubt,
A.R.P. means Air Raid Precaution
in merry England.

My old country farm paper carries
a notice that, the aged, the blind,
and invalids, would be visited by
A.R.P. officers to have gas masks
fitted—free.

Said I to the lad, Do that this
way. You may have a farm of
your own some day.

With a helpful wife and daugh-
ter and sons and—He laughed in
my face.

I'll have bomb and guns, to slaugh-
ter the other man's daughters and
sons.

Wh'll pay the debts, and taxes
then. You have nothing to boast
of, you old man.

You talk of the war, that war
fought for me, that I might have
peace and liberty.

While young men fight, but the
old make peace, wars to end war,
will never cease.

I've been taking up too much

Announcement

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Bazaar and sale of homecooking in aid
of the Women's Guild, in the U.F.A.
Hall, on November 26th.

December 7th, Floral U.F.W.A. dance,
in aid of the East Community Hall.

December 9th, Crossfield Dramatic
Society play in the U.F.A. Hall.

December 21st, United Church Christ-
mas concert.

December 22nd, Inverlea School con-
cert.

December 22nd n, Anglican Church
Christmas concert.

The Elba school Christmas tree and
concert, December 22nd.

December 23rd, Baptist Church Christ-
mas concert.

December 23rd, Floral School Christ-
mas concert.

Post Office Notice.

Next boats sailing for Australia
and New Zealand:

Via San Francisco, December
6th; via Vancouver, December 21st.

Next boat for China, December
10th, via Vancouver.

Last boat for Great Britain
leaves St. Johns December 9th for
Christmas mail.

U.S.A. mail (parcels) should be
mailed by December 10th, as they
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